(b) if so, by when Government propose to start Rohini Housing Scheme in the near future?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M ARUNACHALAM): (a) The DDA have reported that the Rohini Housing originally envisaged provision of about 1,20,000 shelters/ dwelling units for EWS and LIG. However, the demand fot these categories of shelters/dwelling units, as reflected by registration under the scheme was 74,632. The reduced demand therefore is due to lesser demand and not attributable to private builders.

(b) The Rohini project is in progress.

Shortage of water in Mayur Vihar, Delhi

1739. SHRIMATI SATYA BAHIN:
SHRI DAVID LEDGER:

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVE-LOPMENT be pleased to slate:

(a) whether it is a fact that there is an acute shortage of water on the 2nd and 3rd storeys in Pocket A. D, E and F flats/quarters of Mayur Vihar Phase-II, Delhi;

(b) whether it is also a fact that the water supply to these pockets is not fit for drinking and human consump tion;

(c) whether any complaints have been received in this regard; and

(d) if so, what action has been taken to improve the situation?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) According to Municipal Corporatioti of Delhi there is no acute shortage of water in 2nd and 3rd storeys in pocket A & E. Delhi Development Authority reports that this area was affected by water scarcity in summer season aa in the case of other areas of Delhi.

(b) and (c) M.C.D. & D.D.A. report that the water supplied, is potable and fit for human consumption. No complaints were received by DDA & MCD.

(d) M.C.D. & D.D.A. reported that the water supply is regularly tested to ensure its patability.

Issuance of completion certificates to group housing societies by DDA

1740. SHRI RAMSINH RATHWA: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that D.D,A. has imposed a condition on Group Housing Societies that completion cert ificates would not be issued to them unless fire fighting arrangements are made in the apartments constructed by them;

(b) if so, whether D.D.A. has made fire-fighting arrangements compulsory In ts own colonies; and

(c) if not, what are the reasons there for?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) For cooperative Group Housing Societies, DDA follows the guidelines issued by Chief Fire Officer, Delhi Fire Service which stipulate that No Objec-ton Certificate for fire fighting arrangements should be obtained before issue of occupancy/completion certificate.

(b) and (c) For DDA colonies DDA reports that fire fighting arrangements are made as per the norms laid down by the Fire Department of Municipal Corporation of Delhi.